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For: Restoration Path Calculation Considering Shared-Risk Link Groups In Mesh Networks

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

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Respectfully submitted,

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